IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE MIDDLE DISTRICT OF GEORGIA ALBANY DIVISION

RICK F. ELLIS, :

Petitioner

:

VS. : 1:05-CV-6 (WLS)

TRACY STEPHENS, Probation Officer, Georgia Department of Corrections,

:

Respondent. :

ORDER

Presently pending in this § 2254 action is the petitioner's "Motion to be Permitted to Pay Restitution Monies into the Registry of this Court". In light of the lack of legal basis or justification for the relief requested therein, and in light of the undersigned's earlier recommendation that respondent's Motion to Dismiss this petition as untimely filed be granted, petitioner's "motion" is hereby **DENIED**.

SO ORDERED, this 8th day of June, 2005.

/s/ Richard L. Hodge RICHARD L. HODGE

UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE JUDGE